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MEMORANDUM FOR: ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2  
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THE JOINT STAFF

SUBJECT: Scientific and Technical Intelligence

1. Enclosed is the survey of our Office of Scientific Intelligence, referred to at yesterday's meeting.
2. Although this is not transmitted on an "Eyes Only" basis, it is respectfully suggested that circulation within your office be as limited as possible consistent with the purposes we are seeking to achieve.
3. Because of the confusion now existing in the scientific intelligence community, this report recommends a directive on HQ level to allocate responsibilities. Tab D indicates one possible such directive which would give a new frame of reference and create, we hope, a new climate in this field of the intelligence community. We held no special brief for the allocations of responsibilities suggested in this draft. There is no clear line of distinction between technical and scientific intelligence or separating different scientific disciplines. The suggested distinction is simply less fuzzy than some.

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